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**PEN AND SCISSORS.**  
Colorado has adopted the Australian ballot system, making the 30th State to accept the reform. Kentucky and Texas are required by their new constitutions to do the same thing.  
The Supreme Court of Massachusetts has overruled the exception in the case of Pannin J. Poor vs. J. Montgomery Sears, and sustained the verdict of \$12,625 given Miss Poor for injuries by the fall of some shavings in a building owned by Sears, in 1887.  
The effect of the continued floods in England is very marked. The river Thames, in some places, extends for a mile or so beyond its banks, and flat-bottomed boats are being used to convey people in the streets of Eton and Windsor.  
James E. Graves, an employee of the Standard State Company in Boston, was accidentally locked into the steam room where barrel staves are seasoned, and literally cooked to death. Graves' body was a mass of blisters and his face scalded out of all semblance to humanity.  
After thirty years' vain struggle against an adverse destiny the leviathan steamship Great Eastern was beached on the shores of the Mersey, near Liverpool, and for many months past a dozen men have been knocking her to pieces. Her bones sold for \$10,000.  
Edison promises to run a railway train between Milwaukee and Chicago during the World's Fair at a speed of 100 miles an hour by his new electric motor. By his invention two pounds of coal will do the work of six in present appliances. He says the plant will not cost as much as the cable system.  
Initiation gold is a new compound which was recently discovered, and which puzzles the best jewelers to detect. Its weight is that of gold, and the acid boils a trifle when applied to it, although when it is wiped off no spot is left. It is cheap and is easily worked. Its chief factor is aluminum composite, from five to eight per cent.  
"Convent hair" is an article well-known to the trade and highly prized. When a young takes the veil in the Roman Catholic church her hair is cut off, and her tresses are sold for the benefit of the convent. As the hair is cut pretty close to the head, the tresses are usually long, and thus "convent hair" has a special value.  
An eastern branch of Dr. Keeley's institute for the cure of alcoholism has been established at White Plains near New York. John P. Mines, L. D., writes to the North American Review, a narrative of his own personal experience of cure at the institute in Dwight, Ill. He says he is satisfied that he is permanently cured of his appetite for intoxicants.  
The giraffe is in danger of extinction. Ten years hence of seventy or eighty could be found, where to-day thirteen would be a large herd. An African chieftain, however, Khama, has taken the giraffe under his protection, and preserves it, just as the Czar of Russia has preserved in a forest of Lithuania the European bison from extinction.  
One of the signs of returning prosperity at the West is the payment of mortgage indebtedness in immense amounts. It is estimated by financiers that within the coming year the savings banks, and the insurance companies of New England and the Middle States will receive at least \$200,000,000 in liquidation of Western mortgages.  
Mr. C. Allard, a wealthy rancher in the Flathead country, Montana, has a herd of 47 fine buffaloes. There are 46 cows and one large bull, all magnificent, full-blooded bison. They are kept with the domestic cattle, and are herded with little trouble. It is not generally known that such a private herd of buffaloes is in existence. The superintendent of the Yellowstone Park said the other day that there are from 200 to 500 buffaloes in the park now, and they are increasing in number.  
Dr. Brown-Sequard, in one of his lectures, dwells with much emphasis on the importance of general knowl-

edge in the matter of checking coughing and sneezing. He states that coughing can be stopped by pressing on the nerves of the lips in the neighborhood of the nose, and sneezing may be stopped in the same way. Pressing in the neighborhood of the ear or right in front of the ear, may stop coughing. It is also of hiccoughing, but much less so than for sneezing or coughing. Pressing very hard on the roof of the mouth is also a means for arresting a cough, and the will is often found to be a wonderful preventative.  
A new flag has been designed for the boards of trade of the cities along the Merrimac River, composed of seven horizontal stripes, representing the seven cities on the Merrimac River, and showing the colors of the rainbow—red, yellow; orange, Manchester; Concord, Nashua; green, Lowell; blue, Lawrence; indigo, Haverhill; violet, Newburyport. In the upper quarter, next to the staff, on a blue field, is shown the White Mountains and Lake Winnepesaukee, the source of the Merrimac River, and arched above the lake and mountain appears a rainbow. In all probability the growing center of manufacturing interests, Amesbury, will make necessary the addition of another stripe, of some combination color, like purple, for instance.  
Captain Collins, of the United States Fish Commission in his report on the New England Fisheries for 1888, which is just being published, makes one efficient point. The general impression has been that the proportion of aliens among our fishermen was very large. As a matter of fact, however, these statistics show that in 1888 there were 16,151 men employed on the fishing vessels of Massachusetts, and that 10,488 of these were Americans. This would make the percentage of foreigners less than 40, and not 70 or 80, as many have claimed. Of the foreign 5,238 were British provincial, or more than one-half. The change that is taking place in the vessels engaged in the several fisheries is well illustrated in the case of Massachusetts. The number of vessels engaged showed a decrease, but this was more than offset by the increase in the size and value of those engaged, the actual increase in that class of shipping being more than 500 tons.

At Portsmouth, Eng., on Thursday, an official trial was made of a boom designed for the purpose of capturing the great interest in naval circles. The boom was moored across the channel, which is seventy feet wide, and secured between two lighters, the surface being covered with iron spikes so as to catch the bottom of the enemy's torpedo boats. Ten feet above, and parallel with the boom, was stretched a seven-inch-wide hawser which was kept taut. A first-class torpedo boat, commanded by Lieutenant Sturdee with a crew of five men, whose lives had been insured by the admiralty, then started upon the hazardous attempt to pass the boom, and after a run of seven miles, Lieutenant Sturdee batted down the hatches, having sent the crew below, and made a rush at the boom at full speed. On reaching the obstruction the torpedo boat was forced on the spikes where it remained firmly wedged, and from which all her engine power was unable to force her. The officials are congratulating themselves on the success of the experiment, the use of harbor booms as an efficient means of defense being considered proven beyond peradventure.  
We want every mother to know that croup can be prevented. True croup never appears without a warning. The first symptom is hoarseness, then the child appears to have taken cold or a cold may have accompanied the hoarseness from the start. After that a peculiar rough cough is developed, which is followed by the croup. The child is to be seen when the chest first becomes hoarse; a few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy would prevent the attack. Even after the rough cough has appeared, the disease may be prevented by using this remedy as directed. The only safe way is to keep a 50 cent bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy on hand when the symptoms of the disease appear. For sale by T. G. Julian.

**The Snow Leopard.**  
One of the best examples of adaptation to environment—in other words to the circumstances under which an organism lives—is seen in the snow leopard, or ounce, one of the great cats very rarely brought to Europe. Just as, in pre-historic times, the mammoth among elephants was clothed with wool and hair as a defense against the cold, so the ounce in the present day is a leopard specially adapted to live in a rigorous climate. Unlike the true leopard, it is confined to Asia, and is seldom found much below the snow line of the central highland region of that continent, though it has been found as far west as Smyrna. The adult male is from four to four and a half feet long, exclusive of the tail, which is about a yard, and is clothed in long, dense fur, which protects it from the effects of the low temperature of its habitat. The fur is pale yellowish-gray, with small, irregular spots on the head, cheeks, back of neck and limbs, and with dark rings on the back and sides; the under surface is whitish, with some large dark spots about the middle, and the rest unspotted. The ounce has never been known to attack man; it preys on wild and domesticated sheep and goats, and, like the true leopard, is extremely fond of dog flesh. A young specimen—the first brought alive to England—was recently exhibited at the Zoological Gardens, Regent's Park, but it unfortunately died a few weeks after its arrival.—(Cassell's Family Magazine.)

**A Pit for Vegetables.**  
A pit which is accessible in all kinds of weather is a valuable adjunct to the kitchen garden; for, as a rule, vegetables keep much better, and retain their flavor more perfectly when stored out-doors than when kept in the cellar. If the pit is so constructed that it can be readily entered, it will be of value to the house for storing many things which prove almost worthless if stored in the cellar. Last fall I made a pit as follows: A well-drained corner of the garden was selected and the pit dug 4x8 feet by 4 feet in depth. This was lined with one-inch chestnut boards, nailed to locust corner posts. The roof was made of heavy oak boards, having a pitch sufficient to shed the moisture as it drains through the soil. A man-hole eight inches square by twenty inches high is made in one of the lower corners of the roof. The earth that had been dug out was thrown upon the roof, forming a good sized frost-proof mound. A movable wire screen of half-inch mesh is fitted into the man-hole to keep out mice, rats, etc. A water-tight trap door closes the entrance; a short ladder is used in getting in and out. In this pit we have kept cabbage, turnips, beets, potatoes, celery, apples, etc., in the most excellent condition; the trap door had been propped open for ventilation nearly the whole winter. Nothing had been frosted or injured by the cold. As this pit is so simple and of easy construction, there is no reason why every garden should not have one.—[American Gardener.]

The smoke stacks on many ocean steamers are now built considerably higher than was previously the case. The object is to improve the draught of the furnaces, and this method is found to be most practical in its application. A new steamer, the Scot, of the Cape Mail line, is provided with smoke pipes 120 feet high above the grates, being the loftiest pipes ever put into a steamer. A draught of three-quarter inch water pressure is thus obtained, all the steam necessary is thus easily secured, and the use of fans is dispensed with. Her speed is nineteen knots.—[The Manufacturers' Gazette.]

This unique epitaph is said to be found in a California cemetery: Here lies the body of James Hambrick, who was accidentally shot on the bank of the Pecos river by a young man. He was accidentally shot with one of the large Colt's revolvers with no stopper for the cock to rest on. It was one of the old-fashioned kind—brass mounted. And of such is the kingdom of heaven.

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I find that I am compelled to close out this line to give me room for my big line of Holiday Goods that I have bought, which is much larger than I have ever bought before. This is no sham, but a genuine cost sale, so if you need anything for a year to come, it will pay you to buy now. I will quote you a few prices:  
Pentecostial Chairs, \$5.50 set, former price, \$4.50; Woven Wire Springs with three rows of Coil Wire springs through the center, \$2.25, former price, \$3.25; good Cotton Top Mattress, \$2.25, former price, \$3.50; 3 piece Chamber Set, \$14.50, former price, \$19.00; 3 piece Chamber Set, \$27.50, former price, \$37.50; Large Sofa, \$3.70, former price \$5.00; fine Silk Pile Rugs, \$8.05, former price, \$11.00; Bed Lounges, Carpet Brussels, \$7.50, former price, \$10.50; Bed Lounges, Plush, Extra Large, \$11.75, former price, \$15.50; 7 piece Mohair Parlor Set, \$82.00, former price, \$90.00; fine marble top Hat Dress, \$6.50, former price, \$9.00; China Tables, \$1.25, former price, \$2.00.  
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T. G. JULIAN.  
**Change the Water in Flower Vases.**  
A lady visitor, at a home of wealth and taste, noticed that the water in the vases was impure, and, as she tells the Tribune, "knowing by experience how foul and offensive water becomes from decaying stems of plants, I spoke to my friend on the subject, believing that the standing water in so many open receptacles was positively unhealthful. 'How often do you clean the vases,' completely, James?' the hostess inquired. 'We wash everything once a week, ma'am,' he answered respectfully; 'the rest of the time I only take out the flowers that are faded and replace them with fresh ones.' 'Just take out those,' she directed, pointing to a big yellow bowl filled with purple lilies. As he lifted the wet mass from the dish the odor was so sickening that it filled the whole room. Now here, I thought, is surely a question for a physician, and yet I have never heard it mentioned. Wherever houses are profusely decorated with flowers, this stagnant water is presumably standing constantly in living rooms, and people are continually breathing what, even out of doors, under the fresh winds of heaven, is generally accounted unhealthful."



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Born, to the wife of Alvin Myers, near Spencer, Friday, November 6th, a son.

Mr. John Turley, living on Donaldson, this county, had the misfortune to lose his house by fire on Monday last.

Mr. John R. Phillips is now occupying the house he bought of R. M. Smith, on Winn street. He took possession last week.

The Shakespeare class will meet at Major Fowler's to-morrow, (Wednesday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock, for the purpose of organization.

Mr. Sterling society goes out con hunting. Nineteen of the 400 secured in capturing one con and a lonely possum.—Lexington Transcript

Mr. John W. Redmon, the past week moved into the pleasant home he lately bought of Dr. J. P. Turner, on the Levee pike, in the suburbs of the city.

Born, to the wife of J. T. Coons, of Spencer, October 25th, a son, the first boy. Brack Duff says the mother and boy are doing well, but he is a little fearful about Tom.

Ex-Gov. Albert S. Marks died at Nashville, Wednesday morning. A native of Davis county, this State, he was Gov. Buchanan's legal adviser and one of the ablest lawyers in the State.

It is said that San Francisco is after the National Democratic Convention, and in order to secure it she will offer to pay the railroad fare and hotel bills of the party. This is the way they do things on the Pacific coast.

Nineteen miners went to their death down a shaft at the Ansonia mine, on Wednesday. The mine by which the cage was lowered broke, precipitating the men to the bottom of the shaft. Seventeen were killed outright and two others fatally injured.

A mob of 3,000 men surrounded the city and county jails, searched the court house at Topeka, Kansas, Wednesday night, in a determined effort to secure J. A. McLean, a brute who had murdered his nine-months-old child. Only the intelligent foresight of the officials saved the wretch from the fate he so richly deserved.

As a result of the long dry spell, there has been no log tide in the river for a long time and the mills at Ford have stopped running for want of timber. As a large number of families are dependent on these mills for the means of support, a long, continual drought would entail much inconvenience if not actual suffering.—(Winchester Democrat.

Last Tuesday Nelson Hallon, of Menfite county, was at work felling a tree and in some way he threw it so it fell on him, crushing him to death. He was a good citizen and an honorable and highly respected man, just in the prime of life, being about 45 years of age. He was buried on Wednesday at Frenchburg by the Masonic Lodge, of which order he was a member.

Lee Fisher's barber shop is the place to go for a first-class hair-cut or a nice, smooth shave. He employs none but first-class workmen and guarantees satisfaction in every respect. One of the best evidences of the good work done in his shop is that his customers have no nowhere else once they have tried him. Remember the place—Maysville street, under Green, Clay & Chenaule's store. 14-21

Judge B. J. Peters celebrated his 80th birthday on Tuesday last, November 3d. A few of his friends were with him to enjoy a bountiful repast and wish him many years of usefulness. On the greeting of a day or two ago "How are you, Judge?" he answered: "Mrs. Peters says I am well, and she never tells anything but truth." His form is still erect and his step more elastic than many men of fifty.

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BEAN BROS.

Married, on Wednesday last, in this city, Clay Shackelford to Miss Mary Ann Tipton, Elder B. W. Trimble officiating.

The American Cranberry Growers' Association reports that the cranberry crop will be 20 per cent. smaller than that of last year.

Montgomery Commandery will meet at its hall Friday night, November 13th, at 7 o'clock sharp. Work in the Red Cross degree. J. A. OREAR, Recorder.

Dr. G. A. Richart and family have moved from the Tyler-Apperson building and taken rooms at the Marshall property on Clay street. Dr. Richart will continue to occupy his office in Tyler-Apperson block.

The Montgomery county F. & L. U. met on Saturday in this city, and after passing resolutions endorsing the Growers' tobacco warehouse and agreeing to stand by it, selected J. H. Mason as delegate to the State Convention, which meets at Elizabeth town to-day.

The series of meetings at the Methodist church closed on Sunday evening. There were some twelve or thirteen additions, we are informed, as a result of the services held. Rev. Joseph Rand, of Lexington, will be with the church on Thursday evening next and hold services with it over Sunday and perhaps longer.

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Dr. J. F. Jones, of Poplar Plains, has sold his business to Dr. J. C. S. Brier, of Owensville. We can heartily recommend Dr. Brier to the people of Poplar Plains as a most excellent physician and gentleman.—Flemingsburg Gazette.

Dr. Jones has not yet decided where he will locate.

Will be Here.

On next Court-day, between the hours of 10 and 2 o'clock, all persons desiring to consult with the general agent of the Hurst Home Insurance Company will find him in the Advocate office. The farmers who are interested in this enterprise would do well to call and see Mr. Hurst. He organized the company and drafted its government, hence can explain everything about it. The company is still booming and promises enormous strength.

Lost—Dogs.

Strayed or stolen from my place on the Kiddville pike, on Thursday, November 5th, a pointer bitch with white body, liver colored head and white stripe down forehead and nose, a liver colored spot on her right side and a short tail; also a pointer dog with white body, solid liver colored head and a liver colored spot at the root of tail. Any information that will lead to their recovery will be liberally rewarded. Wm. MORROW, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

The New "Private Secretary."

The new "Private Secretary" was the attraction at the Capital Theatre yesterday afternoon and night. Good houses greeted the performances at both appearances. The performances were all that could be desired, and the auditors applauded to the echo. It was "laugh" from beginning to end. Not a detail was omitted which would contribute to the pleasure of the house. The crowd went to laugh, and they did. The principal was good, and his support equally as efficient. There was not a "star" in the company, but all did their work sufficiently that the crowd voted them all stars. It was an exceptionally good performance of a good play and everybody was satisfied.—Arkansas Gazette, Nov. 1st, 1891.

Opera House, Saturday, Nov. 14. Reserved seats at Lloyd's.

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New Constitution.

Never in the history of the new Constitution has there been such a display in Mt. Sterling of fine china, queensware, glassware, hall, library and stand lamps, china, tea and dinner sets, oatmeal sets, A. D. coffee, salads, comports, celery trays, crackers, fish sets, chamber sets, etc., etc. Everything new in shape, style and decoration. The ladies especially are requested to call and inspect these goods. A souvenir is given to each caller from now until Thanksgiving. 14-21 W. W. REED.

J. Lawrence White has been tendered and has accepted the position as cashier of the Farmers Bank of Beatyville. He will leave on Thursday to enter upon his duties. Lawrence White is one of the brightest young men ever raised in our community, strictly moral and upright with hands so clean that no money will stick to them that is not honestly his own. His education is first-class, his information extensive and his business training of the best. He goes to his new position with all the elements that would seem to guarantee success. To those among whom he goes we cordially commend him as in every way worthy of their confidence and esteem.

Last evening an audience that filled every seat in the Opera House witnessed the presentation of Wm. Gillet's masterpiece of modern comedy, "The Private Secretary," by the company under the direction of Mr. Edwin Travers. The cast was in every way worthy the hearty reception given them by our best theatre-goers last night. The play is one that has been presented before in Old City, but seems to grow in popularity with each representation. It is bright, quick and enormously funny, holding closely the attention of the audience throughout its entire length. It is difficult to give praise impartially where the cast is so evenly balanced as the Travers company, but the Rev. Robert Spaulding of Mr. Wm. Fairbanks, certainly merited special commendation while the Catermole of Harry Eytling, the Gibson of E. J. Mack, the Douglas of Edwin Travers, the Miss Ashford of Bertha Livingston, and the Edith of Miss Violet Black, won great favor with the audience; in fact the entire cast was excellent.—Oil City Blizzard.

Will be at Opera House, this city, Saturday, Nov. 14.

On Friday evening of last week (Maj. H. T. Stanton, of Frankfort, most delightfully entertained a large audience of our people at the new Opera House with a lecture, interspersed with readings from his own writings. Maj. Stanton was happily introduced by Judge J. H. Hazelrigg to the largest audience we have ever seen attend an entertainment of the kind in our city, and those who were there were not disappointed in the expectation of a rare literary treat. A number of the good women of our city (God bless them) there are plenty of them in our midst, seeing that the V. M. C. A. needed some help in fitting up a set of rooms, have agreed to furnish the reading room for them, and this was the beginning of their work in this direction. They secured Maj. Stanton's services, and the pleasure he gave his audience was proof sufficient of the wisdom of their selection. We must not neglect to mention the fact that a number of gentlemen and ladies among our home talent furnished delightful music for the occasion. Prof. E. S. Fogg, of Covington, kindly lent his services as leader.

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A desirable blue grass farm of 106 acres four miles from Mt. Sterling, on the Kiddville pike. Comfortable dwelling, one tobacco barn, a tenant house and other needed outbuildings. For full particulars apply at this office or to Wm. Morton on the place, or address,

THOS. HUBLE, Lexington, Ky.

A dastardly attempt was made to wreck a train on the N. N. & M. V. R. R., on Mr. Thos. Calk's place, west of the city, some time Saturday night, early Sunday morning Mr. Calk had occasion to go up the road to a distant portion of his farm, and discovered, lying piled on the track, a number of large rocks strewn at irregular intervals of some fifty yards. He notified some of the railroad hands and had them removed. Fortunately no train passed in the darkness after they were placed there. This is the second attempt made by some dastardly villain near the same place, within a short time.

New Hyman's Mixed Pickles, without a rival as to quality.—New York full Cream Cheese—Fresh Oysters, Crackers and Celery.—The choicest of Moyne Gunpowder Tea.

A roasted coffee at 37¢ per lb. that is great.—A select line of bottle goods, fresh and new, on the road.—More goods for a dollar than anybody.—Plenty of choice fruit a specialty with me.—If you want a tender steak and are willing to pay for it, call on me.—The greatest bargains ever offered in flour.—I have a machine and make Hamburg steak. It is easy to cook and very fine.—I want to sell you something good and keep all lines.

W. R. NUNNELLEY.

A Rare Treat.

The bachelor teachers of the K. T. S. are proud to acknowledge an exceptionally fine serenade, rendered Friday night last by young ladies more or less connected with the school. We were peacefully engaged in the innocent and intellectual game of crochets, when suddenly, without warning or opportunity for defense on our part, there arose a manifold wall as from four thousand souls in the throes of Gehenna. In our own yard and the one adjacent, it was like a multitude of the great Kilkenny cat fight, which was such a howling success that two contestants ate each other "bodaciously"—up—nothing being left but two tails. In this unspeakable medley of melodies, we caught a pathetic and touching refrain somewhat like this—

"He diddle diddle sat in the corner, The cow was eating the moon; He put in his thumb and took out the dish what a great boy am I?" Dave fell on my neck and wept, while I reached for the water pitcher. Just as I threw it I heard a moan under the bed—"Pass on Gabriel, for the Lord's sake. I didn't do it." It was Andy. The water had some effect, for soon a pattering of little feet on the pavement like a regiment of cavalry took us the wicked had ceased from troubling, and the weary were at rest. Mr. Winder had not been asleep ten minutes when I heard him murmur, "What strange things we see when we have no guns!" J. W. S.

To The Farmers.

Through our Building & Loan Companies we can secure you loans on easy terms. We will also write you the cheapest and best of Fire, Life or Accident Insurance.

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PERSONAL.

Mrs. W. H. Smith spent last week in Clark County, visiting her mother.

Mrs. Mary Collins, of North Middleton, is visiting Mrs. J. D. Harper of this city.

Rev. Joseph Band and family, of Lexington, visited Mrs. Nannie White the past week.

T. L. Porter and wife, of Prestenberg, are visiting the family of T. I. Ritchey, of this county.

Mrs. Col. J. T. Hazelrigg and daughter, Mrs. E. C. O'Carroll are visiting friends at West Liberty.

"Uncle" Jim Jones leaves today for McIntosh Florida, to spend the winter with his niece, Mrs. Jennie Allen.

Miss Mary Conroy has resumed her position in J. E. Queen's store, where she will be glad to see her friends.

Capt. Dan Turney of Paris, the cleverest man of all, was in the city Friday, looking up some of his old friends and making new ones.

John W. Skillman, of North Middleton, was in the city last Wednesday. He was accompanied by his beautiful daughter, of whom he is justly proud.

Misses Hattie Masterson and Hattie Driskill, two bright and beautiful young ladies of Ripley, Ohio, who have for two weeks past been visiting Mrs. W. A. Boyd, near Somerset, returned home yesterday.

J. W. Wilson, D. L. Smith, H. K. Green, John Holliday and Joseph Gask attended the tobacco sales the past week, at Louisville. They report a poor market, and whilst they sold some tobacco, the prices realized were low.

Percy Adamson left last week for a winter's stay in Florida. His health has been very indifferent for some time past. His friends here know him as a most excellent young man, whose correct walk has won him the esteem of the community, and all hope he will come back to us well and strong.

No Time to be Wasted.

While times seem a little dull, in order to start things to moving along, I will sell anything in the jewelry line at very close figures. Just look at prices quoted: 3 oz. Silverine Watches, 11 jewels, \$3.50; Gold filled Watches, from \$12.50 to \$25.00; Rolled gold plated chains, guaranteed, \$1.50 to \$2.00; Walnut clocks, \$2.25 to \$3.50. Come and I will convince you I will sell you at a bargain.

THOS. WHITE.

Mr. E. T. Shipp, near Paris, Ky., was found unconscious in his stable on Friday evening. He died in a few minutes after being found. Death resulted from a stroke of apoplexy.

The inimitable Bill Nye, together with his running mate, A. P. Burbank, held forth last evening at the new Opera House. A fair sized audience did the laughing act for them to perfection.

Judge Lindsay says that the new Constitution will not prevent Bourbon and Bath counties taking a vote on another subscription to the Kentucky Midland road, and that a new proposition will be submitted to Bourbon.—(Kentuckian-Citizen.

There is an uncredited report that the United States ship Baltimore has been sunk in the harbor of Valparaiso, Chili, by torpedo boats of that government. There is very little probability that there is the least truth in the story, as the War Department has no knowledge of the fact.

The drought still continues with us and the complaints of the farmers about the lack of stock water are becoming grievous, some of them being compelled to haul water quite a distance. In the city many cisterns are entirely empty and a fire would prove very disastrous should it get under headway before the fire department could get to work.

We are informed that Conrad Hellman, a resident of Mattie Lee, a suburb of the city, has of late been indulging in the marital pastime of whipping his wife. A few nights ago he filled up on mean whiskey, came home and gave his wife and daughter a fearful beating. Sunday night some parties, presumably his neighbors, tiring of his abuse of his family, took him out and gave him a taste of his own medicine, assuring him that if his offense was ever repeated he would fare much worse next time they took him in hand.

Sharpsburg Items.

It is a little quiet in town week.

Mrs. M. E. Wood is occupying her new residence.

The Post-office has been removed to its new quarters.

Does Ben Harrison read the handwriting on the wall.

Sharpsburg has now a building and loan association.

The more intelligent the farmers become, the freer they will be.

Several of our young ladies went out gathering autumn leaves last week.

Mr. Tollie Young has improved his residence very much by the addition of a new kitchen and cellar.

John Kraycraft and Miss Rebecca Chafin, young people of the Creek neighborhood, went to A. A. deen, O. last Wednesday, and were married. Next!

The first snow of the season fell last Tuesday. There was not much of it, but a few flakes fell about 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Work on the new Christian church is progressing nicely. When completed it will have the tallest spire in town, so far as elevation is concerned.

Don't forget that the farm of J. Clyde Nelson and J. T. Jones, containing 175 acres, will be sold to the highest bidder next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, on the premises.

Miss Mary Turner, of San Luis Potosi, Mexico, is here on a visit to her mother. Miss Turner is a teacher in a mission school at San Luis Potosi, and during her sojourn in Mexico she has learned to speak the Spanish language fluently. We are happy to say she will be here until December 16.

Like a drowning man grasping at a straw our Republican friends gloat over the barren victory in Ohio. Nevertheless, the glorious Democratic victories in New York, Massachusetts and Iowa, indicate that the stupor emanated g. o. p. is doomed to defeat in 1892. A Democratic president will be inaugurated on March 4th, 1893, and don't you forget it! HENOS.

## GRAND OPERA - HOUSE

Thursday, November 12.

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—AND THE ORIGINAL—

Dublin Town Band and Orchestra

Look Out for the Parade.

General Admission, 35 and 50 Cents.  
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Saturday, November 14.

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GROVER CLEVELAND,  
Of New York.

FOR VICE - PRESIDENT.  
JOHN G. CARLISLE,  
Of Kentucky.

## THE ELECTIONS.

A summary of the election results received show the following returns: Pennsylvania goes Republican by a majority of over 50,000. Ohio elects McKinley and the entire Republican ticket by a majority of over 20,000, and the Legislature is Republican by 50 or 60 votes on joint ballot.

In Iowa the entire state ticket is elected by the Democrats, but the Republicans get the Legislature by a vote of two.

New York gives Flower, Democrat, plurality of over 43,000, but the Legislature is in doubt.

Massachusetts elects Russell, Democrat, for Governor, by a majority of 5,000 or 6,000, and both parties polling their full strength.

New Jersey is safe for the Democrats by a good majority.

Maryland, Virginia and Mississippi are all safe in the Democratic fold with big majorities. Colorado, Michigan, South Dakota and Nebraska are as safely Republican.

In Kansas the Republicans and Democrats generally united to defeat the Third Party, and as a consequence it was effectually smothered under almost everywhere in the State.

Mr. McKinley is now Governor-elect of Ohio, but he objects to a further discussion of the tariff issue. Maj. McKinley is an astute politician and understands fully that if he is to be a candidate for President next year he cannot afford to have that issue made too prominent in the campaign. Billy need not trouble himself. It took too much trouble to secure to him his plurality of 20,000 in Ohio for the Republican bosses to risk him before the people of the whole country. Blaine or Harrison will represent the G. O. P. next year.

Among other things settled by the late elections is that the secret ballot has come to stay wherever adopted. It has given eminent satisfaction in all places where it has been tried. Amusingly it relates to the rear the election, the ticket distributor and the region of war-bummers who have long freely bled candidates. Whether the ticket was long or short, the secret ballot has been equally a thing of pleasure, since it gives the voter the opportunity to vote as he desires, unmolested by the impudence or the bullying of the professional election striker. It promises to make elections much fairer and cleaner than they have been of late, and probably few will object to its workings after the turbulent bummer and the professional hanger-on.

Brazil has more trouble on her hands. It seems to be on the eve of another revolution. General Fonseca, the President elected by Congress after the downfall of Dom Pedro, does not want to give up the power thus conferred on him. For some time past differences have been known to exist between him and Congress, mainly, it is said, on financial questions and a pretty free use of the veto. The breach widened till at last a bill was passed, taking away the veto power from him. Upon this Fonseca promptly dissolved the legislative body and declared martial law throughout the republic. Reports received up to this writing indicate that things are not in the most pleasant state in the new republic. All newspaper articles and dispatches are subject to a censorship, so that it is difficult to obtain an exact account of the situation.

"Ledger" office, New York, Sept. 26, 87.

Retsof Rock Lump Salt gives entire satisfaction. It is the purest lump salt I have ever used, and no stock farm should be without it. ROBERT BONNER. Mr. Bonner is owner of Maud S., 2:08½; Rarus, 2:13½; Dexter, 2:14½; and Sunol, 2:09.

White salt is sold only by Chiles & Simpson.

Sweet mixed pickle in barrels at BARNES'.

## HORSE AND TRACK.

Arion, 2:14½, was foaled March 13, 1889.

Rupes, by Guy Wilkes, has reduced his pacing record to 2:14½.

Bellflower, (2), 2:24½, is the 84th 2:30 performer for Electioneer.

Jessie Pepper has now six daughters that have produced 2:30 performers.

Allerton has trotted more fast miles this year than any other horse ever did.

Henrietta, 2:18½, by Mambrino King, has been retired from the turf and will be bred to Chimes.

Palo Alto is close to the stallion record, as his record is now 2:04½. If he beats Allerton's mark, 2:04½, Electioneer will hold every record, as he has all now but one, the stallion record.

Monbars, 2:18, the great two-year-old by Eagle Bird, left last week for California in charge of Geo. Starr. He will go against the mark of Arion, 2:14½, on the Stockton kite-shaped track.

The oldest colts of Sable Wilkes are two-year-olds, and of that crop there are but ten. Yet two of them are 2:30 performers, and another foal of the same crop has a record of 2:29½ at one year. No other sire ever equalled this record.

Electioneer has well nigh "run a corner" on record breakers. His yearling daughter Bell Bird, 2:26½, holds the yearling record; his son, Arion, 2:14½, the two-year-old record, and his great daughter Sunol, the three-year-old record (2:10½), the four-year-old (2:10½), and the world's trotting record for any age or sex—2:08½. The present season shows most conclusively that the sons of Happy Medium are capable of perpetuating the illustrious fame of their family. Seven sons of this horse, Pilot Medium, Brigadier, Happy Thought, Maxie Cobb, Frank Ellis, Almont Medium and Riley Medium have added from one to nine each to the 2:30 list this season.

With all the improved appliances in the way of sulkeys, hoppers, better tracks, etc., and in spite of the fact that the number of trotting bred horses is increasing rapidly, there are still thousands of horses that are put through a long course of training but that are unable to beat 2:30, although a 2:30 trotter cannot now win any money on the turf. Fast trotters are becoming more plentiful but it is safe to say that the demand for first-class race horses will always exceed the supply.

The Palo Alto colt, Advertiser, that has been selected as the successor of Electioneer on the farm, and that made a record of 2:22 several months ago, has been ailing all the summer, but seems to have rounded to, as on the kite at Stockton last week, he reduced his record to 2:16. He is an exceedingly well-bred fellow, being by Electioneer, first-bred by George Wilkes, second dam Lulu, 2:14½, by Norman 25. He has been bred to the best mares on the farm this season, and good results are anticipated.

An instance of how quickly the dam of promising colt trotters is bought up by breeders is shown in the case of Nancy Lee, the dam of Nancy Hanks, that was bought by W. S. Hobart, of California, for \$5,000 when Nancy Hanks trotted in 2:24½. Now \$25,000 wouldn't tempt Mr. Hobart to part with her, and her yearling filly by Stamboul, 2:11, cannot be bought at any price. Besides Nancy Lee, Mr. Hobart owns and has bred to Stamboul such mares as Alma Mater, dam of Alycane and Alcantara, Prospect Maid, 2:23½, Trinket, 2:14, Silverone, 2:19½, and Astrone by Alycane out of Jessie Pepper.

It is all the rage these days to breed to horses with records, and while it is the common sense view that that is the proper way to breed trotters, it is also true that a horse may have a record of 2:30 or better and be well bred and still not be of value as a stock horse. To be expected to sire pure galloped horses a horse should be pure galloped himself, and there are hundreds of horses that manage to hitch and hobble into the list that will never sire speed. Find out how a horse is galloped before you book your mare to him.

The kite track has come to stay and those who insist that records made over such tracks should not be classed with those made over the oval tracks are merely wasting their breath. The kite track is undoubtedly somewhat



## L. B. RINGOLD, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

fast than the regulation track, but the claim that the Turf, Field and Farm sets up, that it is several seconds faster is absurd in the extreme. Direct miles over the two kinds of tracks can be taken as a pretty fair criterion to go by. His best mile over the kite track was 2:06, and on an oval track he went in 2:06½. The Turf has been making a great stir about the records gained on the track at Independence, but it is dollars to cents that it will make no such fuss about the records gained on the kite track just opened at Stockton, Cal., for the simple reason that Senator Stanford's stock and Robert Bonner's mare, Sunol, are in training on that track—(Horse World).

## PUBLIC SALE

—OF—  
Shorthorn Cattle, Jacks, Jennets, Etc

On MONDAY, NOV. 16th, (County Court day), I will sell at public auction in Mt. Sterling, about 8 head of Shorthorns, including two nice young bulls—all Rose of Sharon—and as highly bred as any of that celebrated family; also one yearling Jack and about four Jennets.

This sale is made to close partnership and is positive.

CLAYTON HOWELL.

## Land for Sale!

117 acres of first-class Blue Grass land, situated on the waters of Plum Lake, three miles from North Middletown, and nine miles from Mt. Sterling, for sale. About three-fourths of it is well timbered. It has on it a good, comfortable dwelling and good tenant house, and two to three barns that will hold from eight to ten acres.

25 acres of good Blue Grass land, 2½ miles from North Middletown, and 9½ miles from Mt. Sterling, on the Paris Pike. A No. 1 stock barn, good No. 1 outbuildings. Comfortable dwelling, two good orchards, well watered, fencing is all well timbered. It has on it a good, comfortable dwelling and good tenant house, and two to three barns that will hold from eight to ten acres.

Both farms in good neighborhood, and close to churches and school houses.

Will sell on reasonable terms. Address or apply to

J. W. McCLURE,  
Winchester, Ky.

## PUBLIC SALE

—OF—  
STOCK CROP TOOLS &c.

I will sell at public auction, on TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1891, at my residence, three miles east of Winchester, at Eton Station, K. C. & N. Y. R., my surplus stock, tools and farming implements, consisting of about 50,000 pounds of extra fine, bright Bailey sheaves, 25½ tons by actual measurement, of bright timothy hay, 125 tons nice straw; 600 bushels of corn in field; 11 yearling steers; 3 yearling heifers; 2 yearling bulls; 4 calves; 3 milch cows; 1 pair 4-year-old mare and colts, 1½ hands high; 1 pair 5-year-old mare and colts, 1½ hands high; 1 pair 6-year-old mare and colts, 1½ hands high; 1 pair 7-year-old mare and colts, 1½ hands high; 1 pair 8-year-old mare and colts, 1½ hands high; 1 pair 9-year-old mare and colts, 1½ hands high; 1 pair 10-year-old mare and colts, 1½ hands high; 1 pair 11-year-old mare and colts, 1½ hands high; 1 pair 12-year-old mare and colts, 1½ hands high; 1 pair 13-year-old mare and colts, 1½ hands high; 1 pair 14-year-old mare and colts, 1½ hands high; 1 pair 15-year-old mare and colts, 1½ hands high; 1 pair 16-year-old mare and colts, 1½ hands high; 1 pair 17-year-old mare and colts, 1½ hands high; 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THE ADVOCATE.

Electricity and the Arts.

Dresden is prolific in new electrical works. Just now a new claimant for honors of electrical welding or forging is receiving attention. An exhibition was given last week by Mr. Geo. D. Burton. The press accounts state that one experiment was the melting into liquid form a bar of steel an inch in diameter and 12 inches long. In 45 seconds, without the temperature of the room being raised a single degree from its normal condition. Another thing shown was the making of a steel railroad spike. The bar was cut into the required length, the pieces passed through the electrical machine, where one end was heated, and then a die, which shapes the head on to the heated end, the point being compressed into shape without heating. Another exhibit was the forming of an auger screw, the flat bar of iron being fed into the machine at the two ends and heated almost instantly, and then twisted into the required spiral by the automatic turn of the machine. These experiments were witnessed by Dr. W. H. Wahl, Prof. Van der Weide and others. (Electrical Review.)

Observations made for some time past at Berlin, Potsdam, Prague and other cities of Europe, have shown that their geographical latitudes have decreased by two-thirds of a second. It is supposed that the axis of the earth has shifted by that much in space, and in order to settle the matter, an expedition has been sent out to Honolulu, which, being the antipodes of Central Europe, will show an equal change in the opposite direction if the explanation is correct. The expedition will remain there for a year, under the direction of Dr. Maueus, of the Berlin Observatory.

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No sort of bird, beast or creeping thing will touch a castor oil plant. It seems to be a rank poison to all the animal world. Even a goat will stare before biting off a leaf, and a horse will snuff at it and turn up his upper lip as though it had the most detestable odor on the face of the earth. Army worms and the locusts will pass it by, though they may eat every other green thing in sight, and there is no surer way to drive a mole from a lawn than to plant a few castor beans here and there.

What is the use of going right over the old track again? There is an old hare in the path which his own feet have worn. You must make tracks into the unknown. That is what you have your board and clothes for. Why do you ever mend your clothes, unless that, wearing them, you may mend your ways?—Thoreau.

At this season of the year people can not be too careful about keeping their bowels regular. Bilious and malarial diseases are often brought on by allowing the bowels to become torpid. An occasional dose of St. Patrick's Pills is all that would be required, and might prevent serious sickness. For sale by T. G. Julian.

Skobelev's Revenge.

During the Russo-Turkish war, says Archibald Forbes in Nineteenth Century, the day after the passage of the Danube had been made good, the Emperor of Russia crossed the river to congratulate and thank his gallant soldiers. In front of the long, massive line formed on the slope below Sitova, awaiting the coming of the great White Czar, stood Dragomirov, Yelichine and Skobelev—the three Generals who had been the leaders of the successful attack. Dragomirov, the Divisional Commander, the Emperor embraced and gave him the Cross of St. George; he shook hands warmly with Yelichine, the Brigade Commander, and gave him, too, a St. George to add to the decorations which this clever little warrior had been gathering from boyhood in the Caucasus and Central Asia.

Then the Emperor strode to where Skobelev stood, and men watched the little scene with interest, for it was notorious that Skobelev was in disfavor with his sovereign, and yet of his camps were ringing with the story of his conduct on the previous morning. Would Alexander maintain his umbrage or would he make it manifest that it had been dispelled by Skobelev's heroism? For at least a minute the Czar hesitated, as the two, poor, soldierly men confronted each other; you could trace in his countenance the struggle between disapproval and appreciation. It was soon over—and the wrong way for Skobelev. The Emperor frowned, turned short on his heel, and strode abruptly away, without a word or a gesture of greeting or recognition. A man of strong prejudices, he was not yet able to exercise from his mind the calumnies that had blackened to him the character of Skobelev. That officer, for his part, flushed scarlet, then grew deadly pale, and seemed to conquer an impulse as he set his teeth hard and maintained his disciplined immobility.

It was a fragment, in the very face of the army, and a gross injustice; but Skobelev endured it in a proud silence that seemed to me very grand, nor did I ever hear him allude to the slur. The time soon came to that gallant and brilliant soldier when he could afford to be magnanimous. As the campaign progressed he distinguished himself again and again, so that his name became a synonym in the army for splendid daring as well as for opportune skill. On the 3d of September Skobelev, after exploit after exploit, devised and led the storm of the Russian position in Lofcha, and drove his adversaries out of that strong place. On the following night, at his own dinner-table, in the Gorn Stulen headquarters, the Emperor stood up and bade his guests to honor with him the toast of "Skobelev, the hero of Lofcha." It is not given to many men to earn a revenge so full and so grand as that.

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# THE ADVOCATE.

All About Porcupines.

There has been considerable talk in our paper on the habits of the American porcupine. Now, I was a land appraiser for the Fox and Indiana Improvement Company, in twenty-eight of the counties of Wisconsin, and trapped in the northwest corner of that State, and I think I met this wood hog in very many of his habitats, and I know something about the critter. Why, he will eat anything that any hog will, and more. He is a thief by night around your camp, will carry off your axes and handle the handles thereof (for he is of the sweaty hand, presumably); gnaw all the strings from your tin shoes; and if one goes into your cabin in your absence, good bye to everything in the soft line—skins, furs, even to greasy overalls. The last one that visited our cabin had a picnic. We proposed to break camp that afternoon, and had got out the remnants of our larder, previous to packing up, when we were called off for an hour or two. When we got back two of the rascals were just emerging from the cabin with plethoric stomachs. Upon entering we discovered that the flour, pork, and about a quarter-pound of coffee were gone, and only a small string of onions left. Innocent! humph, but a perfect nuisance around camp where you have to look every thing up or hang it high and dry.

But as to their habits. In northern Wisconsin we found that almost invariably during the winter they fed on the tender buds of the hemlock and the linden or basswood, sojourning for a week or ten days at a time on one tree and then crossing to the other. Their gullies or tracks through the snow could be found in every direction and they invariably led to and from these trees to their den or nest under a turned up stump or hole in the rocks. We could always find one or them lying out on a limb of one or the other of these trees. An old Indian that was camped (if his habitat could be called such) near us one winter was too naturally tired to hunt deer, of which there were plenty in the neighborhood; but he could easily find the trail of a porcupine; and it is said that he absolutely ate more than six of these stinking animals during the season.

Stick your nose once into a porcupine's nest toward spring and it would be enough. They are a species of hog. Scald off the hair and quills and you have a little pig to all appearances. Looks nice, too. A kind of fat and of fat before reaching the meat, but of so rank a flavor that none but a starving man could tolerate it for a moment. We have in our experience been driven to great extremities, when crows, hawks and owl comparatively fair sources of food, but we have tried it, and the meanest, ill-flavored flesh in the world is the American porcupine as we found it.

Why, the only thing about them worth a continental is a few of their broken quills for the squaws to work up to sell women or tenderfeet. And to these same quills are a big nuisance sometimes, for we had one driven through our moccasins into the sole of my foot. We pulled it out with a pair of bullet moulds, (the whole of it, we supposed), but the foot festered and was very sore for several days, when it got perfectly well. A year afterward a cat bolt, as we thought, was found on our thigh. It was quite painful, and our canvas trousers continually caught on it. One evening, after being annoyed considerably during the day from the friction, we made careful examination and discovered a point of something protruding from the apex of our little cat-bolt. Upon applying the bullet moulds a good half inch of quill or quills was drawn out. A quill, as you are aware, has a sharp point, gimlet-like, at the head of wheat. After the first penetration of the skin, every motion of the body will cause it to work its way farther in. We have known dogs to have these quills work through their jaws and neck, and I am informed even have these quills work through their heads. We have suffered no inconvenience or pain whatever from this piece of quill for more than a year, showing conclusively that in its travels it had one fine itself to the easy road of flesh which the doctors say has no feeling, that is, that feeling is confined to the nerves and muscles lying between the skin and flesh, or between the flesh and bone of humanity, and I presume of animals as well. No sir; we have

a very poor opinion of the American porcupine as we found him and don't want any of him in ours.—[Forest and Stream.

## Agricultural Notes.

Returns indicate a moderate apple crop. The pear crop taken as a whole represents about the usual average.

Lovett's Best is one of the promising new varieties of blackberries.

The indications are that the onion crop is about the same as last year.

Fall and Winter pears may be kept a long time if placed in a dark, cool spot.

It is reported that Nebraska will make 6,000,000 pounds of beet sugar this year.

The Kansas sorghum sugar crop will, it is believed, reach at least 3,000,000 pounds.

Earliness and productiveness are features claimed for the new grape, Early Ohio.

How can surface feeding plants take fertilizers six inches or more below the reach of their roots.

Without shade and moisture, the nitrogen in the soil returns to the great fountain in the atmosphere.

Forest fires have worked destruction in different parts of Wisconsin, Michigan and northwestern Minnesota.

The Farm Journal reminds its readers that shortening of the new growth in summer and fall tend to make a tree fruitful.

New York claims to have had this season 30,000 acres devoted to hops. The Farmers' Review places the product of the State at 90,000 bales.

If you have allowed the manure to accumulate in the barnyard, better get that out before doing the fall plowing, then the yard will be clean if it should freeze up when you do not expect it.

Overfeeding the cow tends to poverty. Not only is the superfluous food wasted, but the overloading of the stomach tends to derange the whole system and decrease both the secretion of both fat and milk.

It is the little things that have much to do with the successful sale or even the keeping of butter. Except when the butter is to be packed in stone crocks it should always be packed with parchment paper. This applies whether the butter to be packed is to be put on the market or kept for home.

Boards' Dairyman says: "The cow is winning her way into the hearts of the Southern people. One instance in proof thereof is the first consignment of these ever received in St. Louis from Arkansas, which reached that market lately from the Grand Prairie Dairy Company, at Stuttgart, Ark."

The French Government, in order to encourage horse breeding, buys the best stallions and charges a fee of perhaps \$3 for their service. While no national interference with the enterprise of those who are engaged in breeding and standing good horses is desirable in this country, there is one regulation that might be adopted by the State authorities, and that is to prevent unsound and worthless stallions from doing business. In this country a service fee no higher than twice that exacted by the French government is generally a mark of an inferior horse. Such horses get poor colts, and you can sell them cheap.—[National Stockman.

STATE OF KENTUCKY, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, sct.

This day personally appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for the county and State aforesaid, Henderson Phillips, who made oath that two stray steers about four years old each, one a pale red, will weigh about 1,400 lbs., the other, dark red, will weigh about 1,600 lbs., neither of them having ear marks or brands, were taken up by Henderson Phillips, near his farm, on the 19th of September, 1891. I further certify that I have personally examined the said steers and value them at eighty dollars. The taker-up of said steers, Henderson Phillips' residence is near Stepsstone Station, Montgomery county, Kentucky. This notice has been duly recorded in my office, and a copy thereof delivered to said Henderson Phillips. This 6th day of October, 1891.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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## Nature's Boarding Houses.

But perhaps the most curious, though not uncommon boarding house is that of the sea anemone. The sea anemone's house is, in the general plan, a fleshy bag standing on its flattened bottom and with the open end for a mouth. This mouth is surrounded by one or many rows of tentacles, or arms, which are very sensitive and armed with myriad micro-people poison darts along their sides. When anything living comes within the reach of these waving arms they close upon it and soon sink it to death. Then they pass it down into the bag, which acts as its stomach. In fact, it is practically all stomach. Nevertheless, some little fish have learned how to get into the bag unharmed by the murderous arms. There they find a safe home and a bounteous table, writes Frederick Gardner, Jr., in Far and Near.

The jelly fish is a floating bell whose transparent flesh, though firm, is nearly 99 per cent water. (Much to my surprise on tasting one once I found it salt water, too!) When the colored eggs are forming they look very pretty through the clear body. It is also armed with poison darts like the sea anemone, to whose family he belongs. Some of the larger ones can give severe stings to bathers and are to be avoided. These can generally be known by their darker color and long red, "streamers." Under this dangerous bell fishes and other animals swim and receive their share of the food of all kinds captured by their host jelly fish. I think no more charming accommodation could be asked. A cool crystal palace over your head, protection from all ordinary enemies, plenty of food and nothing to do but swim along the same leisurely rate as your host—an ideal sort of summer home.

The sea-cucumber (holothuridae) keeps quite a hotel, some transients and some boarders. Its popular name comes from its resemblance in shape to a cucumber, though in color he generally resembles the sand in which he lies buried and on which he feeds. He is a near relative of the vegetable-looking starfish, which is so destructive to our oysters; but from his appearance and habits you would never suspect it. He looks like a dainty bag with a tough leathery skin, and he lives altogether on nothing more reprehensible than sand. Yet with what seems so poorly provided a table as the organic particles in sand he has a great many boarders. Many pretty little fishes, looking like a conjurer's sword, long, slender and scaly, live in one part of his body, and little "spin-crabs" in another, while other varieties are often found with them. It reminds one of table d'hôte at a large hotel, when a good meal of rich sand is found and all their share.

We find fishes living in the capacious mouth of the clumsy "goose-fish" or angler." He appears to be made up of a mouth spliced on to a tail, with the body between left out. The mouth is very broad and opens very wide, so that he is about the shape of a triangle with a mouth for a base. When he goes fishing he buries himself in the sand with his jaws set open just above it, looking like an innocent hole under a rock. One of the spines of his back fin is long and flexible, and has a little tassel of silver threads on the end looking like a small fish. This he hangs forward over the open mouth, and when a fish darts at it for a meal, the great mouth, with a fearful-looking row of back-pointed teeth, shuts down with a snap and there is no escape. Inside the little boarders swim in safety, and have their share of the successful "angler's" catch.

Opinions of the Trade South.

I find Chamberlain's medicines very excellent, particularly Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.—B. E. Etheridge, Hallettsville, Texas.

I have tried Chamberlain's Cough Remedy with great success.—R. Tanner, Waverland, Miss.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cannot be beat.—W. L. Davis, Liberty Hill, La.

I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family, and consider it the best I have ever tried.—W. J. Flowers, Doraville, Ga. 50 cent bottles for sale by T. G. Julian.

In a new bicycle the wheels, instead of being fitted with pneumatic or cushion tires, have the grooves fitted with complete cycles of balls, which revolve on pivots fixed in the groove of the wheels. These balls bite the ground, and the machine travels up and down hill with a wonderful elasticity.

The following would indicate that there is still hope for the paralyzed, Frank Cornelius, Purcell, Indian Territory, says: "I induced Mr. Pinco, whose wife had paralysis in the face, to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. To their great surprise before the bottle had all been used she was a great deal better. Her face had been drawn to one side, but the Pain Balm relieved all pain and soreness, and the mouth assumed its natural shape. It is also unequalled for rheumatism, lame back, sprains, swellings and lameness. 50 cent bottles for sale by T. G. Julian.

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## THE ADVOCATE.

## NEWS OF THE WEEK.

The firm of Thomas Dana & Co., wholesale grocers of Boston, has dissolved, owing to the Maverick Bank complications.

The control of the Baltimore Sugar Refinery has passed into the hands of a syndicate of New York and Boston capitalists.

The New York Presbytery on Wednesday promptly acquitted Prof. B. A. Briggs of the charges of heresy preferred against him some time since.

Charles Morton Stewart has been elected President of the Board of Trustees of Johns Hopkins University, in place of Judge George W. Dobbin, deceased.

Ladies of Dublin will present a silver mounted whip to young Mc Dermott, who whipped Tim Healy for an alleged insult on Mrs. Parnell and Miss Parnell.

Examiner Ewer reports that there is now \$2,500,000 in cash in the Maverick Bank vaults and collections still coming in. Much of the paper in assets will prove available and marketable.

A flock of about forty wild geese spent Friday night in a wheat field near Guthrie, and destroyed an acre or more of wheat just peeping through the ground. [Hopkinsville Kentucky.]

Judge Taintor has decided that wholesale liquor dealers located outside of Connecticut can not sell liquor in that State without taking out a license in each county where the liquor is to be sold.

Six notices of intention to contest the right of seats in the new national House of Representatives have been forwarded to the Clerk of the House. Three of the contestants are Republicans and three Democrats.

The Washington National Bank, of Boston, will not sign the agreement of the Boston Banks to assess themselves 3 per cent. of their loans to relieve the depositors of the Maverick Bank. The other banks will probably all sign.

A special from Waco, Texas, says a disastrous collision has occurred on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad, a few miles south of Waco. Section 2 of a stock train ran into the rear of Section 1, causing the death of four stock men and the serious injury of the engineer of Section 2.

Whiskey will be assessed at \$8 per barrel this year, that figure having been fixed upon by the Committee on valuation, composed of the State Auditor, State Treasurer and Secretary of State. This is less than 20 cents per gallon. The receipts from this source of revenue amount to about \$28,000 a year.

The President, it is said, has offered Senator Hiseock, of New York, the war portfolio, vacant by Secretary Proctor's resignation, and providing the legislature is Republican, Hiseock is to be rewarded for his sacrifice by being made Senator. Hiseock denies that a tender of the position has been made him.

The Kentucky Association of Lexington made an assignment on Wednesday to Gen. Robinson, Louis Strauss and Richard Stoll. The liabilities are \$62,000 and the assets more than sufficient to meet them. The property, if cut into lots, it is said will bring more than \$100,000. The Association had made an effort to increase its membership and thus raise money sufficient to pay off its floating indebtedness. Failing in this, it was attempted to make a sale to the Trotting Horse Association, but the terms could not be agreed upon, and since suit had been brought against the Association, an assignment was the best thing under the circumstances.

Among the personal effects belonging to the estate of the late Isaac Kimberlin, of Scott county, (Ind.), are upward of 1,500 old American newspapers, printed from seventy-five to one hundred and fifty years ago. Most of them are New England papers, printed in colonial days. The lot, together with a large number of old pamphlets, circulars, maps and valuable manuscripts, which the deceased had a fancy for collecting, have been sold to the Hon. Wm. H. English, who will make liberal use of them in preparing his forthcoming history of Indiana.

Farmers should be on guard against a class of sharks who are doing a thriving business in Southern Indiana

in organizing purchasing companies. These rascals offer to sell goods to farmers at wholesale prices, charging them \$5 as an initiatory fee which makes them members of the company. They are shrewd in their transactions and represent that farmers are being cheated by local dealers, and after they have initiated a farmer they take his note for \$80 for a bill of goods which they claim will cost at retail at least \$125. Many victims have been robbed of hundreds of dollars in this way. [Louisville Times.]

The released convicts from the Briceville mines are being recaptured and returned to Nashville. Every train almost from Kentucky and east Tennessee brings in its quota. It is said Gov. Buchanan will return the convicts to the mines, build heavier stockades for their confinement, and place them under strong military guard. The free miners not content with what they have done, are further complicating matters by going on a strike. Those at the "Chillicothe" mine went out on Thursday because a check weighman was not at once given them in accordance with their demands. Those at Jellico and Newcomb also threaten to quit.

The members of the bar of Memphis, Tenn., are very indignant because Judge Dubose, of the Criminal Court, on Thursday sent Col George Gautt to jail for half an hour, because he would not stop speaking when ordered by him. Col. Gautt was defending a negro, and the jury came in convicting his client. He rose to make a motion for a new trial, and Judge Dubose refused to hear him, ordering him to quit, which order he disobeyed. He refused to make an apology to the court when released, saying he was only doing his duty by his client. It is said steps will be taken to have the Judge impeached.

## Grain Notes.

Kentucky produced about 12,000,000 bushels of wheat this year, which is probably the largest crop that she has ever raised.

Three cents will cover the fluctuations in the local wheat market in the last two months.

There is more uncertainty about the size of the corn crop of the country than usual at this period of the year.

The two Dakotas, with a total wheat crop of 75,100,000 bushels, will average more than 100 bushels for every man, woman and child in the two States. They raise nearly as much wheat as all England, with her 26,000,000 people. A few years ago, before the separation, they raised 52,000,000 bushels, and that is their next best record.

Of course the size of the export to Europe will be a great factor in determining the price of wheat this winter. But those who calculate should not forget that Europe's takings will not be regulated by her wants, but by her ability to purchase. This is an important provision.

It is probable that Iowa will lead the States in the production of corn, with a yield in the neighborhood of 300,000,000 bushels, and Kentucky will be well up, with about 80,000,000 bushels. Away back before the war, Kentucky was the leading corn growing State of the Union, whence we got our name, Corn Crackers, but with the opening of the immense prairies of the West it was impossible for Kentucky to maintain her position.

The corn exports are not growing, as some think they should. The Europeans do not take kindly to corn bread, and they cannot afford to import corn as food for their farm beasts.

The gradual decline in the price of corn has been coequal with the gradual increase in the estimates of the corn crop.

Rye is not receiving much attention just now. But rye has never been an important crop in this country.

With a heavily increased oat crop it is natural that prices should be low.

The Southern States make a comparatively good showing in the wheat totals—that is, compared with former years—for outside the northern tiers of Southern States very little wheat is raised there. [Courier-Journal.]

Charles B. Hanford, the leading man formerly with Booth and Barrett has purchased from the Barrett Estate all the scenery, costumes, property, &c., of the Booth and Barrett production of "Julius Caesar," and will star next season, playing the part of Marc Antony exclusively.

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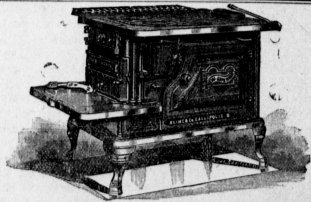
Green, Clay & Chenault.

The remains of Jefferson Davis will have their final resting place in Hollywood Cemetery, at Richmond, Va.

A Missouri Pacific passenger train was held up and robbed Wednesday night at West Side, a suburb of Omaha, Neb. The express car was rifled, but the express company only loses \$285.83.

The Richmond Climax says: "While Pat Cunningham was cleaning out a big cistern he found a diamond pin valued at \$765. A. D. Ruff, jeweler, who uses the cistern, recognized the pin as his own and paid Cunningham \$100 reward."

General Freight Agent Smurr, of the Southern Pacific, says the indications are that there will be 5,000 car loads of oranges to haul out of California during the coming season. Last season there were 3,500 car loads shipped. This season 3,500 cars of delicious fruits have been shipped.



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## THE ADVOCATE.

## County Superintendent's Report.

District No. 18, Oak Valley—Reports 64 children; draws \$144.64; Trustees, Jno. McPherson, Jas. Conkwright and Hugh Pasley, all of whom visit the school very seldom and seem to take very little interest in the school anyway; really, this is one of the very poorest schools in the county; the house is worth about thirty dollars and the furniture about five; required the value of Miss Eva McKinney's school? The teacher is very zealous, indeed, but the whole surroundings seem to be against a good school; Children do not feel like trying to do much in such a house and with such furniture; highest number in school, 26; lowest, 7; present, 15; in practical arithmetic Eddie Garrett; primary, Jennie West, Lillie McPherson, Leo Cory, very good.

District No. 27, Howard's Mills—Miss Sallie Berkley the efficient teacher; her first school; district very much pleased; reports 56 children; draws \$126.56; highest number at school, 28; lowest, 15; present, 24; the house is in very good repair now; lots of nice wood, and the fires made early by one of the boys; the brag history class is to be found here; Trustees, Wm. Anderson, Mr. Patton and Thos. Barnes; they visit school occasionally; the children are kept busily employed and they are all doing well; there are a few pupils living near school house who are not attending; look them up!

District No. 15, Bailey's Institute—J. J. Shroat, teacher; is young, but very energetic; the house is very poor, indeed, and very little furniture; reports 45 children; draws \$101.70; Trustees, Wm. George, Wm. Thompson and R. Montjoy; seldom visit the school; no good wood; highest number at school, 25; lowest, 10; present, 18; school began August 10.

District No. 20, Gum Grove—Mrs. Emma Walker, teacher; she is giving entire satisfaction, and has added much to the school interest here; the average attendance better than ever before and census reports less. Reports 88 children in district; draws \$198.88; highest number, 52; lowest, 32; house is a large frame, and with a little work some of the larger cracks can be closed; needs new floor and a water bucket badly; Trustees, Geo. W. Ficklin, Jas. Welsh and Madison Willoughby; school began July 13th and will close in November; patron should supplement fund and continue till the close of the year.

District No. 25, Plum Lick—Miss Cora Northcutt, teacher; ten months' experience, and, I think, is doing the very best she can; district reports 73 children; draws \$164.93; highest number at school, 23; lowest, 4; present, 17; this school should be one of the very best in the county; good house; nice new furniture; good stove; good blackboard, etc.; on good pike and 23 the highest number. Now, who are the Trustees? Jno. G. Crouch, Mr. Banister and some other one. They seem to forget that when the attendance is small it makes the cost of tuition per child appear large.

The best cheese at BARNES'.  
Rothwell items.

Menifee Ringo is very low with fever. Dr. Walker is attending him.

R. L. McElvain has started a grist mill and corn crusher at this place.

We are gannung ourselves to be prepared for a wedding that is to take place near here shortly.

There is considerable fire in the woods, and it is doing some damage to fencing.

Joe W. Robinson, of this place, has been granted a pension under the new pension law, at the rate of \$12 a month. Jas. Norris also gets a pension at the rate of \$8 per month.

J. J. Chambers bought of W. S. Hamilton ten stacks of hay. Price paid for the lot \$145.

W. F. Chester is trying to get the K. & S. A. R. to build a depot at Mt. Sterling. It is needed.

Dr. Richart, of your town, was in our vicinity last week, being called to see Sam Rothwell's wife.

Jno. Doe.

FOR SALE—A well improved farm of 125 acres, 8 miles from this city, on good turnpike road; dwelling consists of 8 good rooms; stock barn and all necessary outbuildings; plenty of good water. Parties wishing a good home will find it to their interest to call on the undersigned for further particulars.

W. S. RICHART.

## LAND, STOCK AND CROP.

J. C. Gillespie has 50 head of A 1 feeders for sale.

Henry Riggs sold to Joshua Owings 23 head of feeders, average 1,230 pounds, at 3¢ cents.

J. C. Gillespie shipped Saturday to Baltimore 2 car loads of fat hogs that cost him 3 cents per pound.

J. W. Skillman bought of R. L. Thompson a car-load of fat cattle, average 1,300 pounds, at 3¢ cents.

Ed R. Prewitt sold to A. H. Hughes, of Fayette county, 50 head of 2-year-old cattle at 3¢ cents, average 1,167 pounds.

J. W. Clark and J. C. Gillespie bought of Mike Gibbons and shipped Saturday 2 car loads of export cattle at 4¢ cents, average 1,500 pounds.

J. D. Gay weighed to Wm. Bush a pair of fat oxen that kicked the beam at 4,355 pounds. Price paid, 5 cents. The pair of cattle netted the neat sum of \$216.75.

S. C. Corbin shipped from this point yesterday 7 car-loads, (105 head) of export cattle, bought some weeks since of Cap. Gillespie, at 5 cents per pound; average, 1,550 lbs.

Andy English shipped on Saturday to Baltimore and New York nine car loads of cattle good to extra. Among them were 46 head bought of N. B. Young—40 head at 4¢ cents and 6 head at 5 cents, average 1,550 pounds; 1 car load bought of L. N. Horton, average 1,040 pounds, at \$2.60 per hundred; 1 car load of oxen bought of Davis Overat from 14 to 3 cents per pound and a lot of 1,400 pound cattle bought of Boardman at \$4.50.

Wm. Bush shipped from here yesterday 70 head of export cattle, bought for Lehman. Among them were 36 head bought of Col. Thos. Johnson a month since, at \$5.15; average, 1,600 lbs; and 16 head of Silas Stoffer, bought about the same time, at \$5.25; average, 1,550; the balance first-class oxen that will average 1,750, bought from 4c. to 4½c. This is a part of a shipment of 500 head that will be exported from Boston, the balance received at Paris and Lexington yesterday.

## For Sale.

An anthracite stove, with oven attached. Will sell cheap. Also a cooking stove for sale. Apply to THOS. WHITT, Jeweler.

## For Sale.

Ten head of good jacks, from two to seven years old; also 30 head of good jennets. Call on or address, MASON & HENRY, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Louisville Tobacco Marke, Furnished by Glover & Durratt—Louisville Tobacco Warehouse.

Sales on our market for the week just closed amount to 1,817 hhds., with receipts for the same period of 358 hhds.; sales on our market since Jan'y 1st, amount to 140,065 hhds. Sales of the crop of 1890 on our market to this date 98,021 hhds.

The offerings have been light on our market this week and there is no material change to note in prices, but the general tendency has been toward an improvement. Quite a little lot of tobacco has been sold during the week at prices ranging from \$25 to \$30. Only a few hogheads of the new crop have come forward as yet, but the prices realized for such this week have been at better figures than was realized for the first sales of the new crop. The following quotations fairly represent our market for our old burley:

Trash (dark) or damaged tobacco \$2 to \$3.  
Colony trash - - - - - \$3 to \$6.  
Common lugs not colony, - \$3 to \$4.  
Colony lugs, - - - - - \$4 to \$10.  
Common leaf, - - - - - \$5 to \$7.  
Medium to good leaf, - - - \$7 to \$12.  
Good to fine fillers, - - - \$12 to \$22.  
Select wrappry tobacco, - \$22 to \$33.

## Blue-Grass Farm for Sale!

We will, on SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1891, at 2 o'clock, p. m., on the premises, offer for sale to the highest bidder our farm of 175 acres, lying one mile east of Sharpsburg, on which there is a choice orchard of a variety of fruits, and a large and convenient brick dwelling of six rooms, double hall, two cellars and kitchen. Terms made known on day of sale.

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